



FOR PRESIDENT,
MILLARD FILLMORE,
OF NEW YORK.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
ANDREW J. DONELSON,
OF TENNESSEE.

DANVILLE:
Friday, April 11, 1856.

Hon. Humphrey Marshall, has our thanks for Congressional documents.

Good Business Rules.—If you want to buy anything, if you want to sell anything, if you want to know anything, if you want to tell anything, if you want to do anything, if you want to be anything, do—**ADVERTISE**.

Town Election.—At the election held in this place for town officers, on Saturday last, Jas. H. Lavin, Esq., was elected Police Judge, and P. C. Fox, Esq., Town Attorney. The following named gentlemen were chosen to serve as Town Trustees for the ensuing year: I. P. Fisher, G. W. Welsh, John Tompkins, T. R. Dunlap, R. W. Washington, A. S. McIntire, E. B. Russell.

Messrs. J. H. Irvine, G. W. Donaghy and W. R. O'Neal, were elected Common School Trustees for the town district.

It has been currently rumored for some days past, that the newly elected Board of Trustees would grant to our hotel keepers the privilege of selling liquor, if such privilege was applied for. We publish in another column, a communication on the subject, to which we invite attention.

We are not advised precisely as to what the views and intentions of the members of the new Board really are, but we have reason to believe that they do not desire, by any means, to act contrary to what they may believe the sentiments of a majority of our citizens. In regard to the license question, we hope they will take no action at present, or until they feel certain in some way the wishes of the people in reference to it. We deem it but just to state, for the information of our readers abroad, that the gentlemen who compose the new Board are Temperance men; and are among the best citizens of our town. If any of them are favorable to the policy of granting liquor license to the hotels of the place, it is only because, in their opinion, such action would, in some degree, remedy existing evils, connected with the sale and use of ardent spirits. Whether or not the result would prove equal to their anticipations, is not for us to predict.

Painting and Engravings.—See the advertisement of the "Washington Book and Picture Company." Their agent has just opened, in the room adjacent to Post Office, a large variety of splendid oil paintings, engravings, &c. Those who are lovers of the beautiful, will be delighted by examination of these works of art. Many of them are of striking beauty, and exhibit the highest artistic skill and taste, while the styles and subjects of illustration, embrace such a large variety, that every taste can be gratified and pleased.

The terms upon which these pictures are to be had, will be ascertained by reference to the advertisement.

New Stock.—Rec'd the advertisements of Mr. G. G. CARPENTER. He is now receiving large additions to his already extensive and varied stock. Purchasers will find him well prepared to fill their orders.

Spring Goods.—Mr. W. C. LUCAS'S advertisement of new goods will be found in another column. He has a large stock, embracing the latest styles.

J. B. WILGUS & CO., LEXINGTON.—We take pleasure in referring our readers, especially those who buy to sell again, to the advertisement of the above firm. Mr. Wilgus is well known as a member of one of the oldest Grocery firms in Lexington, and may be relied upon as a prompt and accommodating dealer.

Our friend, Jas. R. CARMICHAEL, of "Sublimity," will accept our thanks for a handsome case, of genuine Native-American mountain growth.

We understand that the "Danville Armory," the newly-formed military company in this place, will appear in public parade, on Saturday, the 10th inst., that day being the anniversary of the battle of Lexington.

ACCIDENT AND DEATH.—The Shelby News says that on Monday last, Mr. WESLEY A. CROFT, of Crab Orchard, Ky., was killed instantly, on the turnpike, two miles east of Shelbyville, by his wagon running over him. The wheels ran across his breast, crushing the ribs and back bone, and lacerating his heart and lungs.

MERRY'S MUSEUM AND PARLEY'S MAGAZINE.—The April number of this deservedly popular juvenile Magazine, has been received. It is, as usual, filled with contributions from the pens of those who are adepts in the art of pleasing and instructing the young. Parents, who desire to place in the hands of their children, reading that will benefit and interest them, would do well to subscribe for this Magazine. Terms—One dollar a year, in advance. Four copies for three dollars. Address I. C. & J. N. STEARNS, Publishers, 116 Nassau st. New York.

GREAT FILLMORE MEETING.—Week before last, an immense FILLMORE meeting was held in Evansville, Ind., and the greatest enthusiasm prevailed. One of the objects of the convention was to form a FILLMORE Club. John M. Harlan, Esq., of Kentucky addressed the meeting for two hours and a half, and his speech was listened to with profound attention and received with the warmest applause.

EDWARD EVERETT AND JUDGE STORY.—When Edward Everett was entertained at a public dinner before leaving Boston, Judge Story, gave as a sentiment—*"Quibus in aure to be rewarded where Error ever goes."* Mr. Everett responded—*"Law, equity and jurisprudence; no force can raise them above our duty."*

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The city elections in St. Louis and Cincinnati have gone against the Americans. It takes a combination of Democracy, Black Republicanism, and foreignism to beat "Sam," and his opponents seem to have a taste for just such coalitions. In the North, at present, they are all the rage, and though the American party has in very many instances triumphed over them all, it is not to be wondered at, that such a fusion is sometimes successful.

The Benton ticket was elected in St. Louis by a majority of about 2,000. In Cincinnati, the result was the election of five Democrats and two Americans on the general city ticket; 10 Democratic, 7 American and 1 Independent Councilman. The Republicans seem to have a fondness for foreigners. Among the successful candidates were Woodier, Zeigler, Horation, Ochman, &c.

THE AMERICAN NOMINATIONS.—The New York Tribune and other American papers charge that the nominees of the American National Convention, for President and Vice President, stand upon a Southern pro-slavery platform—while in the South foreigner party insists that they are rather to be regarded as Abolitionists. They are, in fact, stand precisely where they ought to stand, upon the platform of the Constitution, resolved, if elected, to guard the rights of all sections of the country equally; and hence they ought to receive the support of all truly national men. The fact of their being charged at the North with attachment to Southern, and at the South with leaning to Northern interests, shows conclusively that they are the very men who should be placed in power—because it proves that they would administer public affairs with even-headed justice, in the true spirit of the Constitution. This is the experience which the nation had under the former administration of Mr. Fillmore.

LOUISVILLE ELECTION.—The municipal election in Louisville, on Saturday last, resulted in a decisive American triumph. The American ticket in every ward was successful by increased majorities.

The cause assigned by the opposition for this signal American victory, is, of course, that the strength of the Sag Nichts was not voted. Neither was the strength of the American party, by an immense deal. The truth is, the Sag had no hope of success—could scarcely get candidates to run, with the certainty of defeat staring them in the face. If they had voted their strength, the result would have been the same, and no excuse would have been left them for it.

In the Democratic National Convention, in 1852, by which Gen. Pierce was nominated for the Presidency, on the first ballot Gen. Cass received 115 votes, Buchanan 93, Douglas 20, May 27, June 13, Houston 8, Wells 4, Butler 2, Dodge 3, Dickinson 1. Gen. Cass's highest vote was 131, which he received on the 36th ballot. Mr. Buchanan 104 on the 23d, and Mr. Douglas 92 on the 31st ballot. Gen. Pierce was not voted for at all until, we believe, the 40th ballot.

MR. EVERETT AND MR. WINTHROP.—The American Organ announces that Edward Everett, Robert C. Winthrop, with other distinguished Whigs whose names it gives, "are content with Fillmore and Donelson," and "will take the field under the American banner."

A charter election took place last week in Selenevated, New York. The Americans took the field, and the Soft Democrats, the Hard Democrats, and the Black Republicans, all united against them. The Americans however elected their ticket by an unparalleled majority, and their organ says, that with Fillmore and Donelson as their candidates, they will cover themselves with still greater glory in November.

MOUNT VERNON OFFER FOR SALE.—John A. Washington, Esq., the proprietor of Mount Vernon, has written a letter to Mrs. Maria C. Wofford, of South Carolina, in which he announces briefly, but positively, that the place is not for sale. The ladies of the United States, whose making collections of money for its purchase, are therefore doomed to disappointment.

Top boots are all the spasm in New York now. The cream of Broadway wear tassels to them and a sporting whip thrust out from the side pocket complete the tableau. Gilt edge shirt collars are expected to make their appearance next month.

One or two of the South Carolina papers, says the Knoxville Register, are furious in their assaults upon Andrew J. Donelson. This is not to be wondered at. Maj. Donelson is the man who rose up in his seat in the famous Disunion Convention at Nashville, and denounced them as traitors. It is quite natural that South Carolina disunionists should dislike him.

LOSS OF CATTLE.—The loss of cattle by the cold weather in Texas has been immense. Not less than one-third of the stock in many counties, it is thought, has been lost.

HENRY A. WISE INMATE.—It is said and believed in Richmond, by persons who have very few opportunities of knowing, that Gov. Wise's mind is very much impaired—indeed so much so that he should not be held responsible for his language or writings.

Official advice received at Washington, from Costa Rica, confirm the published accounts relative to the military movements in that State, and confidently predict the uprising of the people at Nicaragua against the government of Walker, and the annihilation of his army.

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Subsequently a call was made for a meeting of Independent American Democrats, to nominate a ticket to be voted for by those Democrats not disposed to prostitute themselves in the dust, on their own soil, before foreignism and foreign ecclesiasticism.

THE PAY OF MEMBERS OF CONGRESS.—A Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia Ledger, says: "Notice has been given in the Senate of the introduction of a bill providing for the increase of the per diem pay of members of both Houses. Under the present system none but rich men can really afford to become members of Congress. The community generally know nothing of the immemorial demands made upon them, for all sorts of purposes; and the expense of living in Washington, as a member is expected to and must live, specifies eats up all that they now receive. I understand that it is proposed to fix the pay at twelve dollars per day. I learn, also, that an amendment will be proposed, giving the members a fixed annual salary."

KENTUCKY CENTRAL RAIL ROAD—CONVENTION AND LEXINGTON DIVISION.—The earnings of this company for the month of March, were as follows:

Passengers and Express	11,371 41
Freights	213 63
Freights	15,062 40
Total	\$27,247 64

BEAR IT IN MIND.—While Millard Fillmore occupied the Presidential Chair

